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" By-pass " roads

* 1247 *Q.*—Sri N. R. THIAGARAJAN : கனம் பொது மராமத்து அமைச்சர் தயவுசெய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விகளுக்குப் பதிலளிப்பாரா—

(அ) பெரிய நகரங்களுக்கு வெளியே " பைபாஸ் " ரோடுகள் எங்கெங்கு போடப்பட்டன ?

(இ) இனி எங்கெங்கு போடத் திட்டமிருக்கிறது ?

(உ) திண்டுக்கல், பெரியகுளம், உசிலம்பட்டி, தேனி, ஆண்டிப்பட்டி, உத்தமபாளையம் முதலிய நகரங்களுக்கு இந்தத் திட்டம் விஸ்தரிக்கப்படுமா ?

The Hon. Sri P. KAKKAN : (அ) & (இ) The information is laid on the table of the House.

(உ) The attention of the Member is invited to answer to question No. 225 given on 28th January 1961.

Industries in the Chettinad area

* 1248 *Q.*—Sri K. VINAYAKAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(*a*) the various industries either owned by the Government or by private individuals, that are established in Chettinad area, Ramanathapuram district;

(*b*) whether there are any industrial institutions or schools in this area and if so, what they are;

(*c*) whether there is any proposal to start an industrial estate; and

(*d*) whether there are enough facilities like water and power to start an industrial estate in Chettinad?

The Hon. Sri R. VENKATARAMAN : (*a*) to (*d*) The answer [b] is placed on the table of the House.

Sri K. VINAYAKAM : Sir, is the Hon. Minister aware of the fact that due to some political measures taken in the Far East countries the Chettiyars of Chettinad who have been doing their business there have been forced to come back to the Motherland? Is the Hon. Minister also aware of the fact that after coming back to the Motherland, having lost all their fortunes there, they are now driven to the necessity of dismantling their huge mansions in Chettinad and selling whatever rafters, windows, doors that were available from their mansions with their furniture? If so, may I know what steps the Government are taking to better their economic position?

The Hon. Sri R. VENKATARAMAN : Apart from the point raised by the hon. Member, the Government are interested in promoting industries. If people in that area come forward to take advantage of the facilities offered by the Government, industries can be started in that area.

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[a] Printed as Appendix III on pages 129-132 infra.

[b] Printed as Appendix IV on pages 132-133 infra.

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Expenditure on certain high schools.

DEPUTY SPEAKER : As the hon. Member Sri T. S. Ramaswami who gave notice of question No. 1249 is not in his seat, the question and answer will be printed in the Official Proceedings.

* 1249 *Q.*—Sri T. S. RAMASWAMI : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state the total annual expenditure of the Government (i) for running the S.L.B. High School, Nagercoil, (ii) for various financial aids to the Hindu High School, Triplicane, and (iii) for financial grants to the S.M.S.M. English High School, Suchindram, during the last academic year?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM :—

(i) Rs. 1,11,467 only.

(ii) Rs. 1,12,299 only.

(iii) Rs. 65,644 only.

Grand Anicut Canal

* 1250 *Q.*—Sri M. K. SOMASUNDARAM (on behalf of Sri R. SRINIVASA IYER) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Works be pleased to state—

(*a*) how far the work of lining of the Grand Anicut Canal has progressed and what cost has been incurred so far in this connection;

(*b*) what length of canal remains to be lined; and

(*c*) when the work is likely to be completed?

The Hon. Sri P. KAKKAN : (*a*) The Grand Anicut Canal has been lined to a length of 4,196 feet and an expenditure of Rs. 2,26,682·45 has been incurred on this work so far.

(*b*) A length of 1,300 feet is yet to be lined.

(*c*) The work is likely to be completed during the current year.

Welcome to Foreign Dignitaries

*** 1251 *Q.*—Sri N. R. THIAGARAJAN :** கனம் நிதி அமைச்சர் தயவுசெய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விகளுக்குப் பதிலளிப்பாரா—

(அ) வெளிநாட்டு அரசர், அரசி, ஜனாதிபதி, முதலமைச்சர்கள் நமது தமிழ் ராஜ்யத்திற்கு வரும்போது வரவேற்க அனுஷ்டிக்கும் முறைகள் என்ன ?

(இ) இதில் எம். எல். ஏ. க்களுக்கு காட்டும் அந்தஸ்து என்ன ?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM : (அ) The Government have drawn up a list of persons who should be presented to the visiting Foreign Heads of States and Prime Ministers at the time of arrival **and departure.**